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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )

KENJI KAJIWARA, ET AL. )

Application No.: 09/922,641 )

Filed: August 7, 2001 )

For: LARGE-AREA FIBER PLATE, )  
RADIATION IMAGE PICKUP )  
APPARATUS UTILIZING THE )  
SAME AND PRODUCING )  
METHOD THEREFOR )

Examiner: Constantine Hannaher

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 7, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

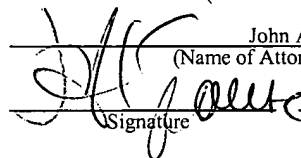
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